

MINUTES

SENATE COMMITTEE ON REDISTRICTING, SPECIAL

Thursday, February 4, 2021

9:00 AM

Senate Chamber

Pursuant to a notice posted in accordance with Senate Rule 11.10 and 11.18, a public hearing of the Senate Committee on Redistricting, Special was held on Thursday, February 4, 2021, in the Senate Chamber.

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senator Joan Huffman, Chair
Senator Juan Hinojosa, Vice Chair
Senator Carol Alvarado
Senator Brian Birdwell
Senator Kelly Hancock
Senator Nathan Johnson
Senator Robert Nichols
Senator Angela Paxton
Senator Royce West

MEMBERS ABSENT:

Senator Bryan Hughes

The chair called the meeting to order at 9:04 AM. There being a quorum present, the following business was transacted:

The following members attended/participated via videoconference:

Senator Paul Bettencourt
Senator Dawn Buckingham
Senator Donna Campbell
Senator Eddie Lucio, Jr.
Senator José Menéndez
Senator Charles Perry
Senator John Whitmire

The following non-committee members attended/participated in-person:

Senator Bob Hall

The following non-committee members attended/participated via videoconference:

Senator Beverly Powell

Senator Judith Zaffirini

Dr. Lloyd Potter, Texas Demographer provided invited testimony.

The following witnesses provided public testimony via videoconferencing (see attached witness list).

At 10:22 AM Senator Hinojosa assumed the chair.

At 11:07 AM Senator Huffman resumed the chair.

The chair moved that the public testimony be closed; without objection, it was so ordered.

There being no further business, at 12:17 PM Senator Huffman moved that the Committee stand recessed subject to the call of the chair. Without objection, it was so ordered.

Senator Joan Huffman, Chair

Koy Kunkel, Clerk